

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

December 28, 2020



A snowy scene in Tahoe, El Dorado County.

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National Terrorism Advisory System



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) activated 03/02/20 at 0700 hours in support of the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Medical Health Coordination Center's (MHCC) statewide response to COVID-19. Cal OES will continue to provide resource coordination for the COVID-19 event, as well as situation status reporting and advance planning across multiple areas.

Situation Overview

- **California State of Emergency Proclamation**

On 03/04/20, Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency for California, as a result of the global COVID-19 outbreak that began in December 2019, to make additional resources available, formalize emergency actions already underway across multiple state agencies and departments, and help the state prepare for broader spread of COVID-19.

- **Global Health Advisory**

On 08/06/20, in close coordination with the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Department of State lifted the Global Level 4 Health Advisory. The Global Advisory, initially put in place on 03/19/20, advised U.S. citizens to avoid all international travel due to the global impact of COVID-19. For more information visit: <https://www.state.gov/>.

- **State Executive Order N-33-20**

On 08/28/20, California introduced a blueprint for reducing COVID-19 in the state with revised criteria for loosening and tightening restrictions on activities by counties. Visit [Blueprint for a Safer Economy](#) for more information and to check the status of a county. This blueprint included a health equity metric to be used along with other metrics to determine a county's tier. The purpose of [Equity Metric](#) is to ensure California reopens its economy safely by reducing disease transmission in all communities.

Confirmed Global COVID-19 Cases – Per Worldometers COVID-19 Live Updates as of 12/27/20 at 1100 hours:

- 80,936,705 (+493,925) total confirmed cases.
- 1,768,988 (+7,622) total deaths.

Confirmed United States COVID-19 Case – Per Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of 12/27/20 at 1000 hours:

- 18,730,806 (+179,104) total confirmed cases.
- 330,901 (+1,309) total deaths.

Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per Medical Health Coordination Center as of 12/27/20 at 1100 hours:

- 2,122,806 (+50,141) total confirmed cases.

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.



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SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF (PSPS) SUMMARY

PSPS Status		
PG&E	SCE	SDG&E
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E)

- Nothing significant to report.

Southern California Edison (SCE)

- Nothing significant to report.

San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E)

- Nothing significant to report.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 2	Preparedness Level 2
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Cal OES Fire Missions

2019-FIRE-402: Personnel assigned to fuel reduction efforts in CAL FIRE Units: Shasta/Trinity, Nevada/Yuba/Placer, San Benito/Monterey and Fresno/Kings.

- Five 20-person Hand Crews each and all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials.
- 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill.
- Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU).

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Lifeline Route Closures

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes:

- There are no lifeline route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire closures.

Emergency Center Activations:

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Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current Hwy. conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current Hwy. conditions.



CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

California 911 Outages

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

9-1-1 Outage/Remote/Community Isolation

Community Isolation, San Francisco, San Francisco County (Initial)

On 12/28/20 at 0205 hours, Comcast reported a Community Isolation affecting 1,971 VoIP users in San Francisco, San Francisco County (zip codes: 94108, 94112, 94116, 94127, 94131, 94132, and 94134).

- Time Outage Started: 12/27/20, 0529 hours
- Time Outage Reported: 12/28/2020 2238 hours
- Time of Restoration: unknown
- Total Outage Time: Unknown
- Jurisdiction Affected: San Francisco County
- Reason For Outage: Unknown
- Wireless Users Impacted: No
- Wireline Users Impacted: No
- VoIP Users Impacted: Yes

Community Isolation, Morro Bay and Los Osos, San Luis Obispo County (Initial)

On 12/27/20 at 2238 hours, Charter Communications reported a Community Isolation affecting 1,209 VoIP users in Morro Bay and Los Osos, San Luis Obispo County (zip codes: 93442 and 93402).

- Time Outage Started: 12/27/20, 2102 hours
- Time Outage Reported: 12/27/2020 2238 hours
- Time of Restoration: Unknown
- Total Outage Time: Power Outage
- Jurisdiction Affected: San Luis Obispo County
- Reason For Outage: Unknown
- Wireless Users Impacted: No
- Wireline Users Impacted: No
- VoIP Users Impacted: Yes

CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

9-1-1 Outage/Remote/Community Isolation (continued)

Community Isolation, San Leandro, Alameda County ([Initial/Final/Cancel](#))

On 12/27/20 at 1307 hours, AT&T reported a Community Isolation affecting 3,608 wireline and VoIP users in San Leandro, Alameda County (zip code: 94578). On 12/27/20 at 1330 hours, AT&T revised wireline and VoIP users to 700 (below the reportable threshold)

- Time Outage Started: 12/27/20, 1211 hours
- Time of Restoration: 12/27/2020, 1513 hours
- Total Outage Time: Unknown
- Jurisdiction Affected: Alameda County
- Reason For Outage: Unknown
- Wireless Users Impacted: No
- Wireline Users Impacted: Yes
- VoIP Users Impacted: Yes
- Revised total of affected users is below the reportable threshold making this outage no longer reportable.
- This is the last update on this outage.

Service Interruptions

- None Reported

WEATHER OF CONCERN

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- Snow above 4,000 feet today. Heavy snowfall above 7,000 feet.
 - 10 to 14 inches of snow are in the Sierra Nevada above 4,000 feet with 18 to 24 inches of snow likely above 7,000 feet.
- Low chance of debris flows and/or flash flooding on/near some of the 2020 burn areas due to rainfall. Primary areas of concern are the Dolan Fire burn scar in the Santa Lucia Mountains of Monterey County.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- The first significant storm of the season will bring widespread showers and mountain snow to the area today and to a lesser degree this evening.
- Snow levels will fall to as low as 3,500 feet today, resulting in potentially hazardous travel conditions over the Kern County mountain passes.
- Significant travel disruptions possible in the mountains due to strong winds and snow.
 - Risk of debris flows near the recent burn scars. Minor urban flooding possible elsewhere.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

WEATHER KEY POINTS

12/28/20 - 01/03/21

Monday-Monday Night

- The next weather system will impact mainly the central and southern portions of the state, though some lighter precipitation is also possible across northern California. Potential impacts include:
 - Locally heavy precipitation over the central and southern Sierra as well as southern California mountains, with a few thunderstorms also possible at times
 - Heavy accumulating snowfall generally above 4,000-5,000 feet will lead to travel impacts
 - Light snow accumulations with travel impacts possible on lower passes, including the Grapevine
 - Minor mud slides or debris flows possible in the vicinity of recent burn scars, especially if heavier rain rates develop. Some minor urban flooding also possible across southern California.
 - Gusty winds across southern California could lead to travel difficulties and minor damage
- Periods of high surf and an increased rip current threat will exist for coastal areas of southern California

Tuesday-Sunday

- Dry weather statewide Tuesday and during the daytime Wednesday
- The next storm system is expected to bring additional precipitation to northern California late Wednesday through Thursday
- A series of storm systems will likely continue across primarily northern California through the upcoming weekend and into the beginning of next week
 - Some of these storms could be stronger, with gusty winds and locally heavy rainfall possible



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

12/28/20 - 01/03/21

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Southern					Coastal/ Inland	Coastal/ Inland
Snow	Inland/ Southern			Inland Mountains		Inland mtns	Inland mtns
Coastal Flooding	Southern						
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)	Coastal/ Southern						Coastal/ Inland
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow	Coastal/ Southern						Coastal/ Inland
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



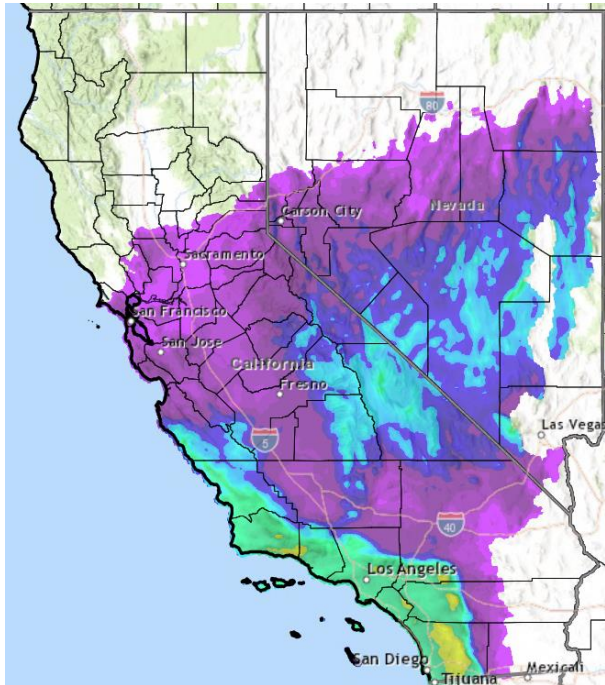
Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

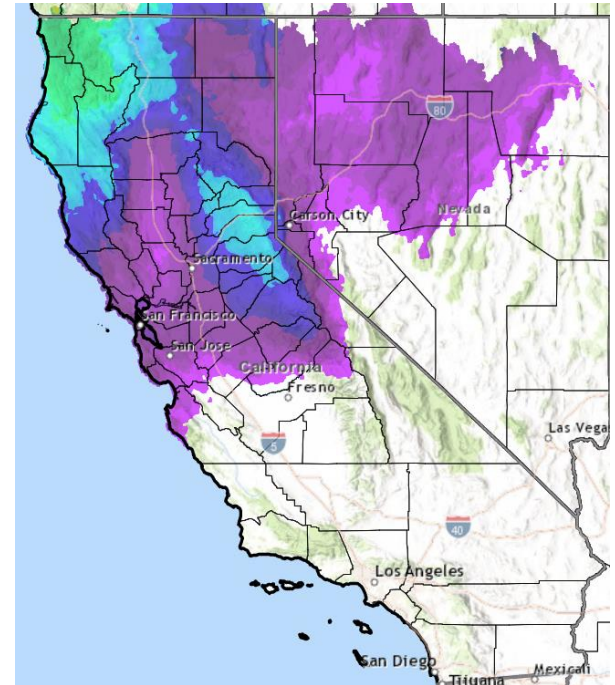
12/28/20 - 12/30/20



Monday



Tuesday

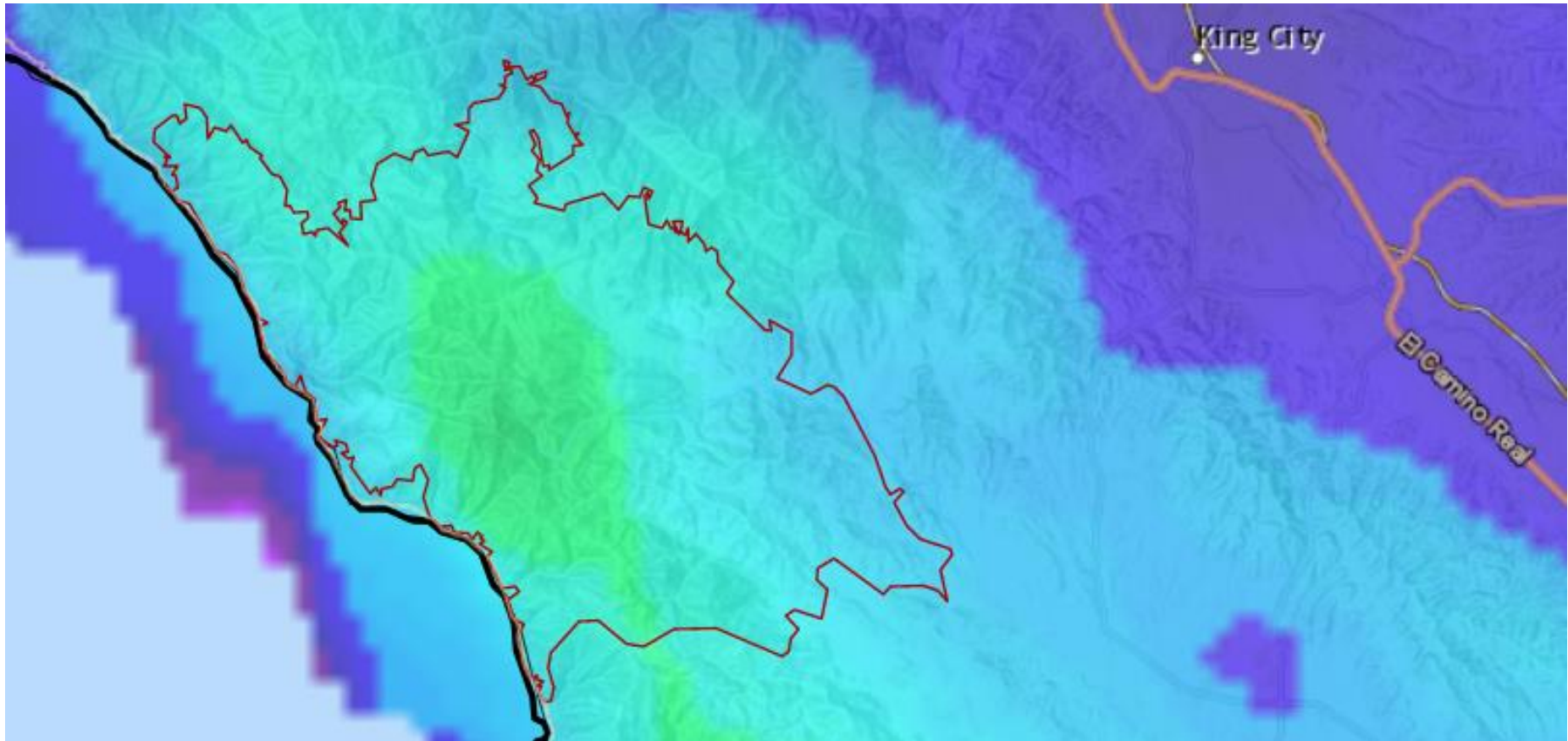


Wednesday

Precipitation (inches)



PRECIPITATION FORECAST – DOLAN BURN SCAR



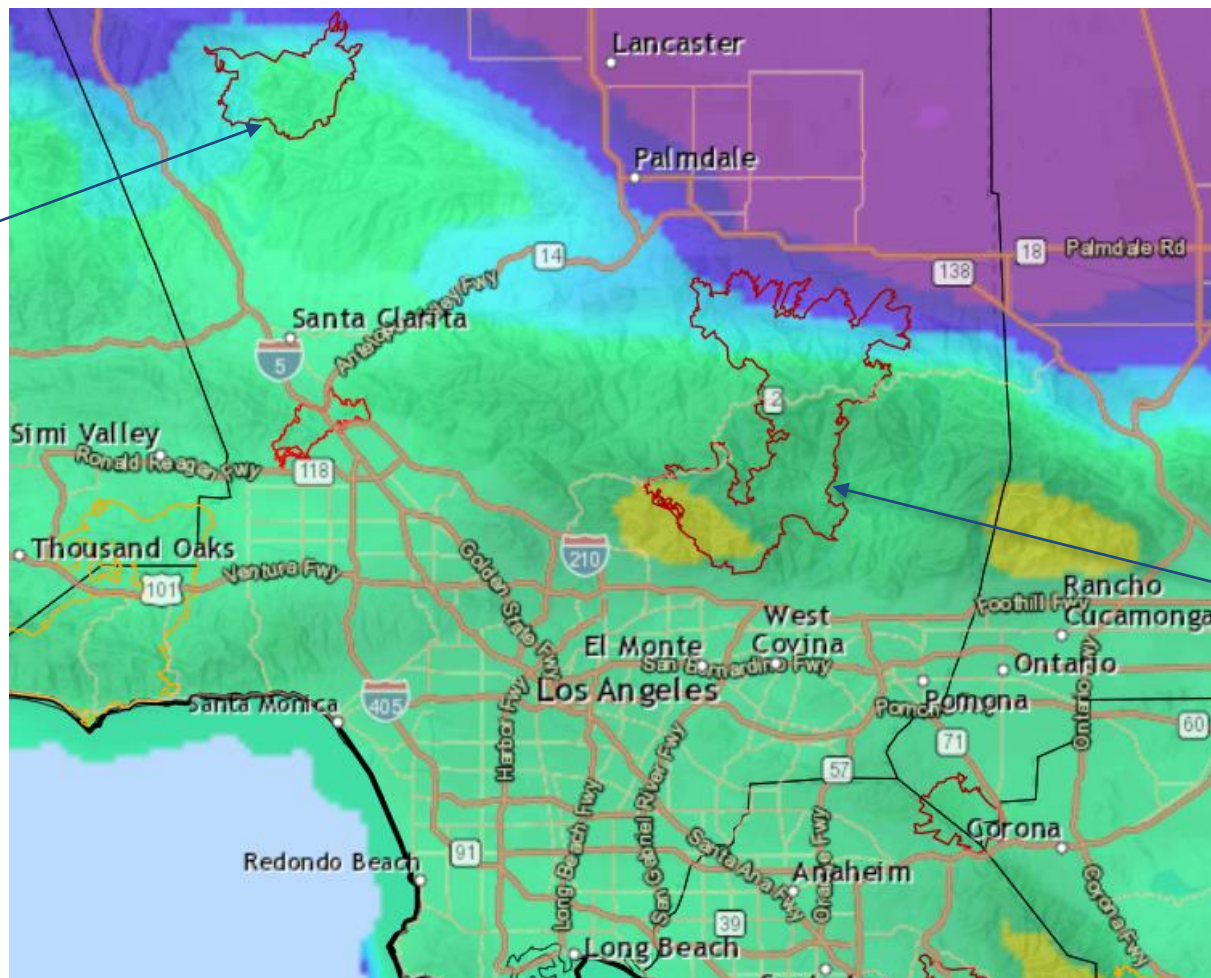
Valid 4 AM PST Monday through 4 AM PST Tuesday
Forecast Precipitation: 0.30-0.60"

Precipitation (inches)



PRECIPITATION FORECAST – SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA BURN SCARS

Lake burn area. 0.35-0.50" precipitation expected 4 am Monday through 4 am Tuesday.



Bobcat and Ranch2 burn areas. 0.40-1.10" precipitation expected 4 am Monday through 4 am Tuesday.

Minor debris flow concerns on recent burn areas in southern California through Monday, including the Bobcat, Ranch2, and Lake burn areas



WEATHER OUTLOOK

01/02/21 - 01/10/21

6-10 Day Outlook (January 2 – January 6)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures expected across the northern half of the state, with near or below normal readings favored for southern California

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation favored for the northern two-thirds of California, with near normal precipitation favored in southern California

8-14 Day Outlook (January 4 – January 10)

Temperatures

- Near normal temperatures favored for the northern two-thirds of California, with below normal temperatures favored in southern California

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation favored statewide



WEATHER MAP

Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES MISSION TASKINGS

Cal OES Missions

- Nothing significant to report.



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Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.